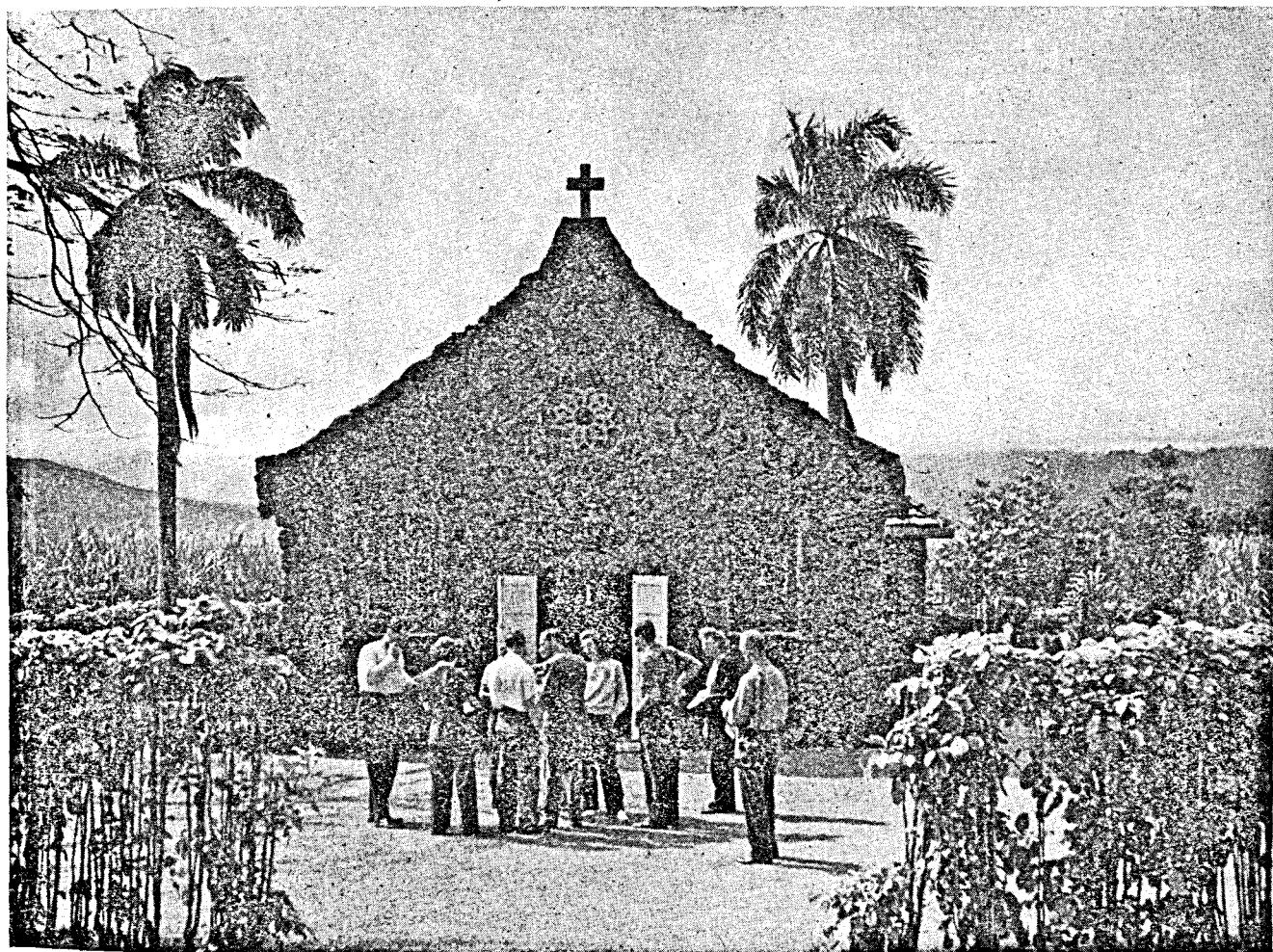


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Christ Memorial Church, Kilauea, Kauai

Given to the Church by Mrs. Robert P. Shepard in memory of her husband. The Reverend Harold Willmot Smith, Vicar, seen chatting with a group of interested listeners.

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## Reconstruction and Advance Fund

We do not have a full report to make on the Reconstruction and Advance Fund, so shall delay a financial report on this until the next issue of the Chronicle. However, we cannot help but comment upon the very wonderful and outstanding report of St. Andrew's Priory. The Sisters, teachers and students of the Priory (and their parents, for they have played a great part in the success of all the projects) are to be congratulated upon the remarkable result of their campaign for this important Fund. No stone was left unturned until the final report was in. They had placed for themselves the high goal of \$1600. When the final penny was counted their offering came to \$3606.10. We defy anyone to beat that record for a group of girls. But then, when the Priory starts out to do something they do it well.

## CONGRATULATIONS ARE IN STORE

For Mrs. Henry B. Restarick on the occasion of her birthday. She will celebrate her 86th birthday on May 12th. Few can go through life with such a commendable record as that made by the wife of the first American Bishop of the Episcopal Church in the Hawaiian Islands. She has never lost her interest in the work of her Church and her mind is ever alert to the needs of the District for the furthering of its scope. She is beloved by all who know her and we all join in a hearty Aloha to her on her 86th birthday.

The test of good manners is being able to put up pleasantly with bad ones.

## To Leave Soon For China

It is always extremely difficult to applaud adequately the fine work of another. You are somehow left with the feeling, "I am quite sure the things that I feel in my heart and wish I might tell you today will come to me tomorrow after you are gone." The real work that is done by a consecrated Churchman is never defined by mere adjectives, for the scope of his or her work is too great to be labeled by words.

We are losing our Diocesan Treasurer, Miss Blanch E. Myers, the end of May. Her work in the life of our Church in the Islands has been one of outstanding merit. She came to us from China when war evacuated her from the work she was doing at St. James Hospital, Anking. She had also been associated with St. Luke's Hospital, Shanghai and had been in charge of other important accounts in the office of the Shanghai diocese. She returns to China and to Anking to pick up the broken and devastated threads that war made on this place, so that she may help weave them into a new pattern for good. We feel that her loss to the District of Honolulu will be tremendous, but we wish her Godspeed and give her our warmest Aloha Nui and know that she will have a very sincere welcome awaiting her as she returns to her friends in China.

Miss Myers came to Honolulu December 16, 1942 to take over the work as Treasurer. Her's was a difficult "row to hoe", for she came just at the time Bishop Littell was leaving. Shortly after that Mrs. Aitken, Bishop Littell's secretary left, so she was treasurer, secretary and "Bishop" all woven into one. She has placed the District finances on a firm basis and has kept them there. Her great plea since coming here has been to encourage our missions toward more self-support and to boost the Episcopate Endowment.

Miss Myers is a cheerful and tireless worker, and has given much of herself to the important work that was her's. She has made many friends in Honolulu who will remember her with great affection. Her willingness to do for others at her own personal sacrifice has been an ever evident part of her character. Though she will be sacrificing much to return to China, we rejoice that she can go back where she has really left her heart, for working with the people there means much to her.

We are extremely grateful for her great contribution to the Missionary District of Honolulu. It has been our joy and pleasure to have her here on "borrowed time" and we have profitted by her efficiency, earnestness and friendliness.

An Aloha party honoring Miss Myers will be held at the Diocesan House and Army and Navy Center, Thursday night, May 23rd, between the hours of 7:30 to 10:00 o'clock. We hope that all the clergy, church workers and friends of Miss Myers will be present to wish her well before she leaves. She will go to the mainland for a furlough before going on to China.

# EPISCOPATE ENDOWMENT FUND

Much has been said about the Episcopate Endowment Fund—much more will be said about it as the months and years roll along. We have a very much alive committee functioning along this line, headed by Mr. George Gray of St. Clement's Church. Laymen working with him on this committee are the Messrs: Edouard R. L. Doty (who has put in much time and effort working out ways and means for building the Endowment Fund) Herman von Holt, Kenneth Day, William Soper, Harold Podmore, Thomas Brodhead, William Fraser, Frank Fernandez, James Tabor, Benjamin Dillingham, Joseph Stickney, Robert Ingram, John Borne, Clement K. Pang, Joseph Pekelo, Peter Chang, Henry Tyau, Aaron Song, Sr., Walter Ho, Robert Mowry, Andrew Ikezawa, Albert Kong, Peter Chang, Alexander Glade and John Rickard of Hawaii and Richard Sloggett of Kauai. The representative of Maui has not been appointed.

A meeting was held at Davies Hall on April 3rd to start work on the Endowment Fund. A heartening part of the meeting was the report that \$6500 had been pledged toward the Fund. The main goal for the present is to raise \$250,000 so that the salary, upkeep of the Bishop's Home and his travel expense can be taken care of independent of help from New York. The ultimate goal is to look toward more self support of our missions.

As the campaign gets under way there will be ways and means presented for raising funds. We are happy to report that since the first of the year we have \$1025.57 to add to this Fund, distributed as follows:

Bishop's Visitations for Confirmation:

St. John's-by-the-Sea.....	\$ 9.00
St. Christopher's.....	9.00
Good Shepherd Church.....	66.76
Epiphany.....	18.38
Priory.....	8.50
St. Elizabeth's.....	37.85
St. Peter's.....	114.48
St. Clement's.....	123.77
Mrs. Charles Hemenway.....	500.00
Miscellaneous Gifts.....	56.60
St. Peter's for 1945.....	50.00
Balance.....	31.25

\$1025.59

## Graduation Services For Our Schools

Iolani will have their graduation service at the Cathedral on Friday, June 7th, at 7:00 p. m.; the Priory will have their's on Sunday, June 9th, at 7:30 p. m., in the Cathedral. We look forward to these services and wish the graduates every success in the future of their choosing.



Samuel Chang Chau

## China Honors Member of St. Peter's

Mr. Samuel Chang Chau, a member of St. Peter's Parish, Honolulu, received the second highest decoration of the Chinese Central Government in ceremonies held recently at the Chinese Consulate when Consul General King Chow Mui presented him with the medal of Dr. Sun Yat Sen. Mr. Chau is a blood brother of Dr. Sun Yat Sen and participated in the revolution of 1904 and again in 1907 as a follower of Dr. Sen, and had many narrow escapes.

Mr. Chau is returning to Shanghai this summer as a commissioner of the Central Bank of China, a position he occupied from 1936 until the break of the war when he escaped the Japanese by fleeing to Hawaii. He was awarded for his work on behalf of the Republic of China.

## Arrives in Korea

The Bishop had a letter from the Rev. Noah K. Cho saying that he had arrived in Korea, but did not give us further details as he had just arrived. We hope to hear more from him later.

# YOUNG PEOPLE'S CARAVAN

By The Rev. Richard M. Trealease, Jr.

Noon August 9th is the awaited day when the Young People's Caravan will leave on the Matsonia bound for Philadelphia and General Convention. Among those who will go with the group from Oahu are: Helen Harada from Good Samaritan, Laura Iwami and Mary Jane Ng from St. Elizabeth's, Gladys Tonaki and Floyd Uchima from Holy Trinity, Lei Folk from St. Mary's, Pearl Richardson from Epiphany, Betsy Lyum from St. Luke's, Anna Mark and Norma Chow from St. Peter's, Laupe Wong from the Priory, Ellen Shattenburg from St. Andrew's Cathedral Parish, Mrs. Harriet K. Wong and the Rev. Richard M. Trealease. From the island of Kauai we are sure of one delegate, Josephine Regalo from Christ Church, Kilauea.

As plans now stand we will be the guests of Bishop Block in San Francisco for several days, and then traveling by station wagon we will cross the country passing through many of the nation's greatest cities as well as seeing the country itself. Boulder Dam, the Grand Canyon, the Royal Gorge and Niagara Falls are on the itinerary. We shall travel through a part of Canada, and spend several days both in New York City and Washington, ending in Philadelphia in time for the opening service of General Convention on September 10.

The Youth Conference is the weekend of September 14-15 and at the great Banquet on Saturday night our young people will be on the program dressed in their native costumes. Added to this our own Bishop will be the chief speaker to all the youth of the Church at the mass meeting following this banquet. The Missionary District of Honolulu will be well represented at General Convention.

The return trip will be by another route over the High Sierras to San Francisco, and thence to Honolulu arriving back about the 2nd of October. The young people going have already met together and are making plans for a program, not only to be presented at General Convention, but also along the way as we visit various cities and churches.

This trip is not only a great opportunity for the young people that are going, but is also a wonderful opportunity for the church on the mainland to see what we are doing here under the leadership of our Bishop.

## "VALIANT"

Are the men of St. Clement's Church. They have become very much interested in drama and are producing a play that bears that name, written by Robert Middlemass and Halsworthy Hall. They are anxious to present this for any of our churches who are willing to pay the cost of the copyright fee, if just contacted. It is cleverly done and will be well worth seeing. We suggest you contact Mr. Charles Henning, 319 Lewers Road for an evening of entertainment. It is a one act play and lasts about forty-five minutes.



St. Andrew's Priory Cross  
Is an inspiration to all who look upon it.

## Hats Off!

To Mrs. Ronald Reid for the very outstanding work she is doing with her children at her day school in St. Andrew's Cathedral, in religious education instruction as well as scholastic attainment.

On Easter Monday the children held a service in Parke Memorial Chapel that was an achievement that any clergyman would boast of, could he have heard the way in which these one hundred little girls, all dressed in white and with chapel veils, recited the Morning Prayer service without hesitation. The Creed, Lord's Prayer, Venite and all were recited with meaning and precision.

They processed into the Chapel singing their joyous Easter hymns and were led by a little girl carrying a banner for the School—one beautifully made by Mrs. Ada Clancy. The service was conducted by the Reverend Richard M. Trealease, Jr. The children are from grades one through three. We are sure parents attending the service felt privileged to have their children under the guidance of Mrs. Reid, for she is a gifted teacher and one consecrated to the work of building character as well as contributing to the mental upbuilding of children. They contributed \$240.34 to the Reconstruction and Advance Fund at this service.

# Youth Corporate Communion

May 19, 1946 will mark the first annual observance of a nation-wide Corporate Communion of all young people of the Church. Plans are already under way in many parishes to secure the participation of ALL the young people. Parish bulletins, individual letters and the telephone will be used to assure that all are informed. Many parishes have a breakfast following the service. The National Youth Commission has recommended that young people who had signed the Rule of Life make their annual reports on keeping the Rule to their rectors prior to this Communion Service. A service of preparation on the evening before the Corporate Communion will be held in many parishes.

## CHAPLAIN REESE RETURNS TO MAINLAND

Chaplain Gordon M. Reese left for the mainland aboard the Lurline on Good Friday. He has contributed much toward the establishment of the Army and Navy Center and is to be commended for the part he played in getting equipment for it. Many of the young men who enjoyed the hospitality of the Army and Navy Center remember him with affection for the good that he did in serving them. We send him forth with a sincere Aloha and wish him well in whatever he may do. He has done much for our Church at large and that of the Hawaiian Islands during the period of the war, and we are grateful to him.

## The Contrast

Out of the night that covers me,  
Black as the pit from pole to pole,  
I thank whatever gods may be  
For my unconquerable soul.

In the fell clutch of circumstance  
I have not winced, nor cried aloud.  
Under the bludgeoning of chance  
My head is bloody, but unbowed.

Beyond this place of wrath and tears  
Looms but the horror of the shade;  
And the menace of the years  
Finds, and shall find, me unafraid.

It matters not how strait the gate,  
How charged with punishment the scroll,  
I am the master of my fate;  
I am the captain of my soul.

"Invictus" by Wm. Henley

Out of the light that dazzles me,  
Bright as the sun from pole to pole,  
I thank the God I know to be  
For Christ the conqueror of my soul.

Since His the sway of circumstance  
I would not wince nor cry aloud.  
Under that rule which men call chance  
My head with joy is humbly bowed.

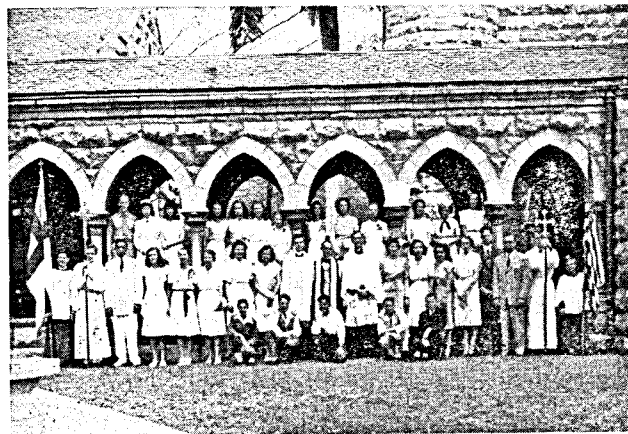
Beyond this place of sin and tears—  
That life with Him! and His the aid,  
That, spite the menace of the years,  
Keeps, and shall keep, me unafraid.

I have no fear though strait the gate;  
He cleared from punishment the scroll.  
Christ is the Master of my fate;  
Christ is the Captain of my soul.

"My Captain" by Dorothea Day



St. Peter's Church  
Presented 42 for Confirmation on Palm Sunday



St. Andrew's Cathedral Parish  
Had 39 Confirmed in their recent class



# The American Church Building Fund

The Missionary District of Honolulu has benefitted by the sum of \$7,453.93 in past year through the aid of the American Church Building Fund, either through a direct gift or loan. Fourteen of our churches have profitted by this very fine plan of aiding our churches. In 1919 the Church Building Fund began asking each beneficiary to take an offering once a year for the Fund, as an expression of appreciation for the help they had received from it. This annual offering is one that should be made with willingness and promptness, for it returns thanks for help received and paves the way for other small missions to receive similar aid.

This fund was created by the General Convention of 1880 and has demonstrated that its efforts have fulfilled the requirements of its purpose. Its present relatively small Permanent Fund of \$868,403.56, which in infancy in 1881 could help with only small loans, and with small gifts from income in 1893, has provided in this period for construction, repairs, improvements, and refinancing of construction indebtedness for well over 3000 churches, rectories, and parish houses around the world.

The Commission rejoices that it has answered every call for help when in conformity with existing rules, is grateful for the opportunities presented, and looks forward to even larger service for the Church.

## CONFIRMATION SERVICES

St. Peter's Church presented the Bishop with 42 candidates for the "Laying on of Hands" on Palm Sunday Eve. Their offering for the Episcopate Endowment was \$114.48. Following the service they had a reception in the Parish House and an evening of entertainment honoring the new confirmees.

On Palm Sunday 26 were confirmed at St. Clement's Church and their offering toward the Episcopate Endowment was \$123.77.

April 7th St. Elizabeth's Parish had 21 added to its list of confirmed members through the service of confirmation. Their offering to the Episcopate Endowment was \$37.85.

Eight girls at the Priory were presented to the Bishop for confirmation on April 8th and they contributed \$8.50 toward the Episcopate Endowment Fund.

April 16th three members of St. Luke's Mission were presented by the Rev. John Moulton for confirmation.

Ten were confirmed at Good Samaritan Mission on Sunday, April 28th and the offering toward the Endowment Fund was \$8.75.

By Church Canon the Offering on the day of the Bishop's Visitation for Confirmation goes toward the Episcopate Endowment Fund. We pray an increased interest will be shown in it.



Famous "wet cave" on Kauai's northern coast near Hanalei. There are two such coves in this area, Waikapu and Hanalei, of the Menehune people. If one is fortunate enough and a musician is present, some impressive tonal effects are produced. After the termination of the road here, the next trip is to the end at the Barking Sands.

## CONFIRMATIONS

Confirmations since the first of the year are:

St. Andrew's Cathedral Parish.....	37
St. Andrew's Priory.....	8
St. Elizabeth's Church.....	23
St. Luke's Mission.....	3
St. Clement's Church.....	26
St. John's-by-the-Sea.....	3
St. Christopher's Mission.....	3
St. Peter's Church.....	42
Good Samaritan.....	10

# Our Prayer Calendar

Several have requested the schedule for the Prayer Calendar used by our clergy at their altars. It has been prepared by the Bishop and is his hope that it will be used daily by all our Churches in the District. We feel sure that our clergy and Church workers can serve better with the prayerful thoughts of those about them. We hope that all our people will share in making supplications for their continued good work. Each day of the calendar month is represented as follows:

- 1st Day—The Ven. James Walker
- 2nd Day—The Rev. Denis Smith
- 3rd Day—The Rev. Norman Alter
- 4th Day—The Rev. Burton Linscott
- 5th Day—The Ven. Henry A. Willey  
Mr. Robert Kondo
- 6th Day—The Rev. J. Thurlow Baker
- 7th Day—The Rev. Harold Willmot Smith
- 8th Day—The Rev. Andrew Otani
- 9th Day—The Rev. Sydney H. Croft
- 10th Day—The Rev. E. Percy Bartlam
- 11th Day—The Rev. J. Miller Horton
- 12th Day—Shingle Memorial Hospital Staff
- 13th Day—Sister Helen Veronica and Sisters of  
the Priory
- 14th Day—St. Mary's Children's Home Staff  
Deaconess Sarah F. Swinburne
- 15th Day—The Rev. Arthur Lyon Lyon-Vaiden  
The Rev. John P. Moulton
- 16th Day—The Rev. Anson Phelps Stokes, Jr.  
The Rev. Richard M. Trelease, Jr.
- 17th Day—The Rev. Kenneth A. Bray
- 18th Day—The Rev. Wai On Shim
- 19th Day—The Rev. Lawrence Ozaki
- 20th Day—The Rev. Noah K. Cho
- 21st Day—The Rev. Arthur Roberts
- 22nd Day—The Rev. James Nakamura
- 23rd Day—The Rev. Y. Sang Mark
- 24th Day—The Rev. Hollis H. A. Corey
- 25th Day—The Rev. E. Tanner Brown
- 26th Day—The Rev. Edmund L. Souder
- 27th Day—Cluett House, Miss Mabel Schaeffer  
St. Michael's House, Mrs. Robert Paget
- 28th Day—The Bishop
- 29th Day—Our retired clergy—the Reverends William Ault, P. T. Fukao, J. Lamb Doty,  
B. S. Ikezawa
- 30th Day—For the work of our Church in Missionary  
District of Honolulu

## GOOD FRIDAY OFFERINGS

The Good Friday Offerings received to date by the Diocesan Treasurer, and which will be sent to aid the work of our Church in Jerusalem, are:

St. Elizabeth's Church.....	\$128.50
Kohala Missions .....	15.00
St. Clement's Church.....	57.41
Christ Memorial Church.....	15.59
St. Peter's Church.....	121.60

Our total last year was \$659.31 so we hope that the other offerings will soon come in and equal or excel this amount.



Hukilau, or fish net gathering, on Kauai. The low island on the horizon at right is Niihau, owned by a private family and inhabited by Hawaiians who live the simple life of their ancestors. Photograph by Douglas M. Davidson.

## Here and There

### Tidal Wave Disaster

We are very thankful that our Church property was not damaged by the tidal wave that recently struck our shores on all islands, but are grieved that so many of our Church families have suffered devastation from it. The Reverend Norman Alter of Hilo has had twenty-four families made homeless from the waves. He has been going night and day to relieve the suffering there. The Rev. Denis Smith at Paauilo had much relief work to do as did the Rev. Harold Smith on Kauai and the Rev. E. Percy Bartlam on Maui. The strange part about the wave was that it did not strike with the same force upon all shores, and Hilo was the most hurt from it.

The following descriptions of the disaster have come to us from the Reverend Harold Willmot Smith

and the Reverend Denis Smith. The Bishop recalls how Donald Nakamura made a tremendous effort to battle rains etc. to get to the Church for his confirmation.

On April 3 at 3 p.m. Christ Memorial Church was filled to overflowing with sorrowing relatives and friends for the funeral of Ruth Shigeko Ninomoto. Ruth was drowned in the big tidal wave which hit the Islands. She was nine years of age and was baptized on May 28, 1944. She was a very active member of the Church School and Girl Scout Troop. She lived with her parents and younger brother and sisters at Kalihiwai. The service was conducted by the Reverend Harold Smith; the Girl Scouts formed a guard of honor and the Church was decorated by Mrs. Mahikoa and the girls. Mrs. Martin Black gave some beautiful flowers.

A large number of Communicants, members of the Church Schools and friends of Christ Church have suffered through the catastrophe. Mr. and Mrs. John



Akana life-long members have lost everything and Mrs. Akana was in the hospital for a week. Miss Jeanne Nishioka had her home broken into sections and although nearly all the contents were saved yet she lost her car which has given such valiant service in transporting young people from Kalihiwai to Church and Scout meetings. The homes of two of the young people (Sadako Kuniyuki and Beatrice Mitsui) who attended the recent Conference in Honolulu have been completely lost and Beatrice lost her mother.

We had a small Church School at Haena of fifteen members. All of these children have lost their homes, and one of the girls lost her tiny brother and two sisters. Camp Naue belonging to the YMCA where the class was held is no more.

We offer our praise to the friends, relatives, scouts and to the whole Community of Kilauea and district for the speedy and efficient way in which help came to those who suffered and is still being so lovingly given. This praise is particularly given to the nurses.

We take this opportunity of expressing the Church's deepest sympathy to all who suffered especially to those who have lost their loved ones. We assure them all of our continued prayers. We greatly admire the brave and cheerful spirit in which they bore their trial.—H. W. S.

#### **St. Columba's Mission**

Requiem and Memorial services were held at Papaaloa and Paaulo for those who died in the tidal wave disaster at Laupahoehoe. At the request of the principal of Laupahoehoe School, Mr. Clarence Ferdun, the Rev. Denis Smith arranged a memorial service at which people of all faiths could attend. The service was held in the Papaaloa Gymnasium and was conducted by the Rev. Theodore Chinen, of the Japanese Christian Church at Honomu, the Rev. K. Izumi, of the Papaaloa Hongwanji Mission, and the Rev. Denis Smith.

The tragic tidal wave which carried away so many children and teachers leaves us with very great sympathy for the bereaved families and friends. Miss Fay Byrd Johnson, one of the missing teachers, had come to the Islands from Virginia, and had worshipped at St. James' Church, Papaaloa on several occasions.

One of the young communicants at St. James' Church who lived at Ookala died in the tidal wave, and of him the Rev. D. Smith has written the following:

#### **Donald Seishi Nakamura**

"I want to pay a personal tribute to a great friend who was taken from us in the tidal wave at Laupahoehoe, Seishi Nakamura. Seishi was a thirteen-year-old boy scout who always had a winning smile. He was baptized by me on November 11, 1945, and confirmed a few weeks later in St. James' Church, Papaaloa.

Seishi was buried with his scout uniform and with the Bible he had received after his confirmation. His sister gave me some offering envelopes which he had already filled and signed, and these I offered at the altar on Sunday.

Seishi will be greatly missed by all who knew him. It is hard to realize that he is no longer with us,

but we know that, by the mercy of God, some day we shall meet again."—Denis Smith

#### **Church Films at East Kauai**

The two splendid Missionary films produced by our Church and entitled "Thy Will be Done" and "We also Receive" were shown to six different groups at East Kauai recently.

At Kilauea there were two showings: first to seventy-one adults and secondly to sixty young people. At Hanalei one hundred people of all ages from tiny tots to older folk gathered; at Haena fifty-five and at Molokaa another seventy. The Reverend Harold Smith arranged programs of singing with the films at each place and the YMCA kindly loaned other educational films and the projector. The witnessing of these films has given to all a vivid impression of the value and importance of Missions and has resulted in increase in giving to the Reconstruction and Advance Fund and also heavier Lenten Boxes.

On the first three occasions we had to hire an operator but after instruction two members of Christ Memorial Church, Messrs. Richard Saiki and Stephen Gushiken became the operators and they showed the films very successfully. Now that we have proved the usefulness of Church films in this area and as we have our own skilled operators we hope to use this method of reaching folk as often as possible.—H. W. S.

#### **Memorial Service at All Saints' Church**

A most worshipful service of impressive dignity was held in All Saints' Church on Wednesday, March 20th at 6 p. m. On the first page of the program used, this announcement was made:—"This service is being held for the greater glory of God; as a memorial for all those, our sons and brothers who have laid down their lives for their country; for the comfort of those who through war have suffered bereavement; in thanksgiving for the safety of those, our sons, who are serving, or who have served, in the armed forces of our country; and in thanksgiving to God for the kindly services rendered to the soldiers of our island by Earl M. Finch."

The service began with the presentation of the cross and flag. Crucifer and honor guard for the cross were Messrs. Richard F. Y. Wong, Richard M. D. Tom and Shigeo Iwai. Flag bearer and color guard were veterans Minoru Takashima, Sadao Okuhara and Iwao Masuda, who were in uniform. Seats were reserved for the gold star mothers of East Kauai. The church was filled to over-flowing and probably more people were standing on the porches and lawn of the church than could be accommodated within the building.

The Rev. Seido Ogawa of the Kapaa Community Church led in the reading of the psalter. The Rev. Charles Keahi read the lesson. The address was delivered by Mr. Finch and interpreted by the Rev. Andrew N. Otani. Mr. Otani also offered the altar prayers and gave the benediction.—The Kauaiian

#### **Coaches the Senior Play**

Father Bray is coaching the senior play for the Iolani seniors. In all modesty he does not profess to be a coach of drama, but we feel sure that if they are as successful in that as in his athletic endeavors,

we can look forward to their production with interest and anticipation.

#### **St. Andrew's Cathedral**

During Lent the young people of St. Andrew's Cathedral Parish were busy with their projects to help with the Reconstruction and Advance Fund. The first Sunday in April they put on a one-act play and were hosts to the parish for the dinner following the eleven o'clock service. The money above and over the amount for purchasing the food for the dinner went to the Fund. For entertainment they put on the play, "The Man in the Bowler Hat" by A. A. Milne. The cast included Mary Day, Bruce Kennedy, Janet Alter, Clark Bornfield, Earl Bornfield and Gordon Tyler. The staging was in the hands of Callie Ingram and Robert Monell—and a wonderful job they did of it, too.

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Another job of the young people was to make hot cross buns for the Reconstruction and Advance Fund. The bakery business was down to perfection before they finished filling orders. And the buns were mighty good, too! \$45.00 was added to the Fund from this project.

#### **Honored at Children's Service**

At the Mite Box service for the young people on Easter afternoon the Church School Superintendent, Mr. Arthur Tyler was presented with a lay readers cross by the Bishop and a lovely Prayer Book and Hymnal by Canon Stokes in recognition of the wonderful work he has done with this important group of the Parish. A more devoted and beloved layman would be difficult to find than Mr. Tyler. He is always at work to find ways and means for bettering the Church School and to make it a place of real devotion for the children. One of his great talents is his ability to make attractive work books for the children or anything that calls for an artistic touch.

#### **A Change in Cover**

The weekly publication of the Shield, the Cathedral Parish bulletin, has been changed for the better we feel. It is most attractive in its new format and we congratulate Canon Stokes and Staff on this splendid change.

#### **Parish Luncheons**

The Cathedral Parish has continued to serve luncheons following the eleven o'clock service to those of the armed forces who attend the morning service.

On the first Sunday of each month they include the members of the parish who wish to pay a nominal sum for luncheon so that a spirit of fellowship may prevail among those in attendance. It is a fine idea, for many who would not otherwise know each other meet in the breaking of bread—and there is never a more contented hour for fellowship than over a cup of good coffee or tea. It affords those in service an opportunity to enjoy the friendship of parish members. The benefits to the parish members of meeting those stationed here in the service of their country are many.

#### **Remember May 25th**

That is the date our young people on Oahu plan to hold a dance at the Armory to raise money for going to General Convention. Tickets are \$1.50. If

you cannot attend your donation will be gratefully accepted. Just send it to the Rev. Richard M. Trelease, Jr., St. Andrew's Cathedral. Quoting from a recent letter of the Rev. William Crittenden, a member of National Council, who is in charge of the program for our youth at General Convention:

"It was a real inspiration to hear that the young people on the Islands are raising money to send a delegation to Philadelphia. If the group materializes, by all means have them bring their native costumes. We want them to be on the program at the Youth Banquet on Saturday evening preceding the Mass Meeting. Dr. I. Q. of radio fame, who is now a theological student at Seabury-Western Seminary, is Master of Ceremonies for the banquet and it should be quite an interesting time. I think it would be a great thing for the youth of the American Church if they are able to come."

#### **Goes to Kauai**

The Reverend Arthur Lyon Lyon-Vaiden went to Kauai Good Friday and Easter to assist the Ven. Henry A. Willey with his services. Mrs. Lyon-Vaiden accompanied him on the trip. The people at All Saints' Church enjoyed having them very much indeed and hope they may return for a much longer visit.

#### **Our Chancellor Departs for Mainland**

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur G. Smith have gone to the mainland for a much needed vacation. We are delighted to know that they can get this rest, though we miss them in Hawaii. Mr. Smith gives much of his time and effort to the legal matters pertaining to our Diocese and we acknowledge it with grateful appreciation. While he is absent Mr. James Tabor, our Assistant Chancellor, is taking his place. He is doing a fine piece of work, too. We feel most fortunate in having two such fine men serving us in this important position.

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Miss Charlene Leonard of St. Mary's Children's Home has also gone to the mainland for a vacation. We hope she will get a much earned rest.

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Mr. William Thaanum, organist and choir director for St. Andrew's Cathedral Parish has gone to New York and other parts of the mainland to gain more knowledge of Church music, etc. He will be gone four months, but hopes to bring much by way of improved methods back with him. Mr. Walter Kau is serving as organist in his absence.

#### **Good Samaritan Form Group**

A group for young men and women was started on the night of April 28th at this Mission. The Bishop and Mrs. Kennedy and Miss Katherine Morton were guests for the supper. The meeting was held at the Parish House. We hope that this fine group will thrive and do much progressive work for this mission. They were happily launched by the Bishop and Mrs. Kennedy.

#### **St. Elizabeth's Church**

Following the morning prayer, the members of the Y. P. F. turned out one hundred per cent for a campus day on the church ground. The portion cleaned will be used for a playground where kindergarten equip-

ment will be set up. After hours of hard work, the members enjoyed a luncheon of barbecued meat.

At the last meeting of the Woman's Auxilliary the members had an opportunity to hear Miss Laura Brown. Miss Brown gave an interesting talk on church vestments and church symbols. At the conclusion of the meeting, a delicious noodle luncheon was served by the members.—W. O. S.

#### St. Peter's Church

A Lenten Project that was unusual but most worthwhile for the following young people of this Church: Gertrude Tyau, Norma Chow, Juliet Ling, Marian Ling, Philip Mark, Warren Kam, Tin Yau Chung, Winston Chang, and Clarence Fung was to clean the Church from front to back and top to bottom, varnishing the floors, pews and anything that needed such attention. It made a great difference in the appearance of the Church and gave the members of the congregation as much pleasure as it did the participants.

#### St. Mark's Church

Members of St. Mark's Church are busy trying to raise enough money for a new organ. Their present organ is in the last stages of usefulness. On Saturday, April 27th, they had a food sale to raise money for this, and made well over \$300.00.

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The Rev. and Mrs. Edmund L. Souder are to be congratulated upon becoming grandparents. Their new grandson, David Cabell Souder, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Cabell Souder on Thursday, April 25th. We congratulate parents and grandparents on this occasion.

#### Holy Trinty Church

The Reverend Lawrence Ozaki is ever alert to the needs of his people and is doing much to knit them in firmer fellowship. On April 14th he started a Men's Group to keep pace with the fine Women's Group that he has there. We pray that this men's group will continue to flourish.

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It is heartening to see how the Rev. Philip T. Fukao is going ahead with his work as priest, even though he had been retired for several years. He is conducting a service every Sunday morning at nine o'clock at his home for those who really seek Christianity. He is also conducting services in Japanese on the first and third Sunday evenings at 7:15 o'clock at Holy Trinity Church. He is the father of Mrs. Ozaki and one has only to look at his face to see how much

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#### The Hat Bar Scored

At the Rummage Sale sponsored by the Women of St. Clement's Church, Mrs. R. E. L. Williams added \$123.00 to the Reconstruction and Advance Fund by conducting the hat bar. She had made many attractive creations for the Easter Hat parade and showed great skill with the needle. It was a most commendable and talented way for making money for the hat bar. The Rummage Sale itself added \$252.00 to the Reconstruction and Advance Fund and the Auxilliary Exchequer, half of the proceeds going to each.

#### St. Christopher's Mission

On Saturday, April 27th, the members of St. Christopher's Mission had a dance at the Armory as a means for raising money for their building fund.

## New Church In Kekaha

When the "Blitz" struck on December 7, 1941, the contract for a Church building at Kekaha, Kauai, was about to be signed. The war has delayed our plans, but has not quelled the enthusiasm of the Rev. J. Thurlow Baker, Archdeacon Willey and our good people in Kekaha.

Now we are happy to announce that the foundation has been laid and the walls of hollow tile are about completed. We have never had a Church building of our own in Kekaha, but have owned a fine piece of property for some years. We look forward to having a thriving mission here under the leadership of the Rev. J. Thurlow Baker who already has many candidates for baptism and Church School.

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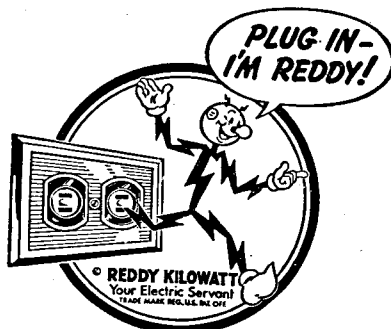
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